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## **NEW RAMP METERS ALONG INTERSTATE 10 (I-10) BETWEEN BLOOMINGTON AND COLTON**

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), District 8, will be turning on ten new ramp meters at various locations between the City of Bloomington and Colton along Interstate (I-10). Ramp meters assist in the control of traffic flow on the mainline of the freeway and are activated when detecting heavier traffic volumes. The meters are currently set on "solid green" and will remain in this configuration for two consecutive weeks.

Beginning Tuesday, September 2, the ramp meters will be set to normal operation allowing a controlled amount of vehicles per green light. They will be placed at the following on ramps:

- Cedar Ave., City of Bloomington, East and Westbound.
- Pepper Ave., City of Colton, East and Westbound.
- Rancho Ave., City of Colton, East and Westbound.
- La Cadena Dr., City of Colton, Westbound only.
- 9<sup>th</sup> Street, City of Colton, Eastbound only.
- Mt. Vernon Ave., City of Colton, East and Westbound.

For more information on these and other Caltrans projects, visit our web site at www.caltrans8.info and sign up for COMMUTER/MEDIA E-MAIL ALERTS. View traffic conditions at http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov or you can view planned lane closures at www.lcswebreports.dot.ca.gov. Follow us on Twitter at www.twitter.com/caltrans8.

Caltrans asks that motorists please be aware of the work and SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE.



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